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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
**DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

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8 GERALD HESTER, on behalf of himself and all others similarly situated, ) Case # 2:09-CV-00117-RLH-RJJ  
9 Plaintiff, )  
10 vs. )  
11 VISION AIRLINES, INC. )  
12 Defendant(s). )  
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16 Kenneth R. Hartmann \_\_\_\_\_, Petitioner, respectfully represents to the Court:  
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18 1. That Petitioner resides at 11360 S.W. 60th Avenue, Miami,  
19 \_\_\_\_\_ (city)  
20 Dade \_\_\_\_\_, Florida \_\_\_\_\_.  
21 \_\_\_\_\_ (county) \_\_\_\_\_ (state)  
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23 2. That Petitioner is an attorney at law and a member of the law firm of  
24 Kozyak Tropin & Throckmorton, P.A. with offices at  
25 \_\_\_\_\_ 2525 Ponce de Leon Boulevard, 9th Floor \_\_\_\_\_,  
26 Coral Gables \_\_\_\_\_ (street address), Florida, 33134 \_\_\_\_\_ (305) 372-1800  
27 (city) \_\_\_\_\_ (zip code) \_\_\_\_\_ (area code + telephone number)  
28 krh@kttlaw.com \_\_\_\_\_.  
29 (Email address)

**VERIFIED PETITION FOR  
PERMISSION TO PRACTICE  
IN THIS CASE ONLY BY  
ATTORNEY NOT ADMITTED  
TO THE BAR OF THIS COURT  
AND DESIGNATION OF  
LOCAL COUNSEL**

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3. That Petitioner has been retained personally or as a member of the law firm by  
Gerald Hester \_\_\_\_\_ to provide legal representation in connection with  
[client(s)]  
the above-entitled case now pending before this Court.

4. That since 6/19/87, Petitioner has been and presently is a member  
in good standing of the bar of the highest Court of the State of Florida  
where Petitioner regularly practices law.

5. That Petitioner was admitted to practice before the following United States District Courts, United States Circuit Courts of Appeal, the Supreme Court of the United States and Courts of other States on the dates indicated for each, and that Petitioner is presently a member in good standing of the bars of said Courts.

Court	Date Admitted	Bar Number
United States District Court, Southern District of Florida	08/28/87	664286
United States District Court, Northern District of Florida	10/30/09	
United State Court of Appeals, 8th Circuit	03/13/96	
United States Court of Appeals, 11th Circuit	10/04/93	
United States District Court, Middle District	05/18/89	
United States Court of Appeals, Federal Circuit	06/22/93	

6. That there are or have been no disciplinary proceedings instituted against Petitioner, nor any suspension of any license, certificate or privilege to appear before any judicial, regulatory or administrative body, or any resignation or termination in order to avoid disciplinary or disbarment proceedings, except as described in detail below:

None

1           7. Has Petitioner ever been denied admission to the State Bar of Nevada?. (If yes,  
 2 give particulars of every denied admission):

3           No.

6           8. That Petitioner is a member of good standing in the following Bar Associations:

7           The Florida Bar  
 8           American Bar Association  
 8           Miami Dade Bar Association  
 9           Miami-Dade Justice Association  
 9           Coral Gables Bar Association

10          9. Petitioner or any member of Petitioner's firm (or office if firm has offices in more  
 11 than one city) with which Petitioner is associated has/have filed application(s) to appear as counsel  
 12 under Local Rule IA 10-2 during the past three (3) years in the following matters:

Date of Application	Cause	Title of Court Administrative Body or Arbitrator	Was Application Granted or Denied
1/26/09	Hester v. Vision Airlines	District of Nevada	Granted

20           (If necessary, please attach a statement of additional applications)

21          10. Petitioner consents to the jurisdiction of the courts and disciplinary boards of the  
 22 State of Nevada with respect to the law of this state governing the conduct of attorneys to the same  
 23 extent as a member of the State Bar of Nevada.

24          11. Petitioner agrees to comply with the standards of professional conduct required of  
 25 the members of the bar of this court.

26          12. Petitioner has disclosed in writing to the client that the applicant is not admitted to  
 27 practice in this jurisdiction and that the client has consented to such representation.

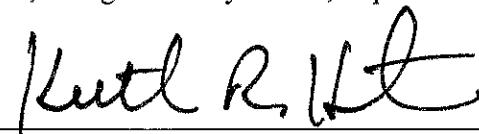
1 That Petitioner respectfully prays that Petitioner be admitted to practice before this Court  
2 FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS CASE ONLY.

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5 Petitioner's Signature

6 STATE OF FLORIDA    }  
7 COUNTY OF MIAMI-DADE    }

8    Kenneth R. Hartmann, Petitioner, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:  
9 That the foregoing statements are true.

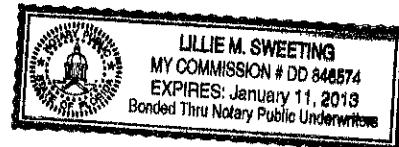
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12 Petitioner's Signature

13 Subscribed and sworn to before me this

14 16<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2010.  
Lillie M. Sweeting

15 Notary public or Clerk of Court



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18    **DESIGNATION OF RESIDENT ATTORNEY**  
19    **ADMITTED TO THE BAR OF THIS COURT**  
20    **AND CONSENT THERETO.**

21 Pursuant to the requirements of the Local Rules of Practice for this Court, the Petitioner  
22 believes it to be in the best interests of the client(s) to designate Ross C. Goodman, Esq.,  
23 Attorney at Law, member of the State of Nevada and previously admitted to practice before the  
24 above-entitled Court as associate residence counsel in this action. The address of said designated  
25 Nevada counsel is:

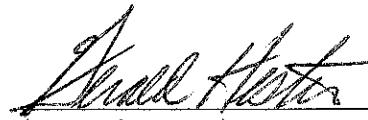
26    520 South Fourth Street  
27    Las Vegas, Nevada 89101  
28    (702) 383-5088

(Street, City, State, Zip Code and Telephone No.)

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2 By this designation the Petitioner and undersigned party(ies) agree that this designation  
3 constitutes agreement and authorization for the designated resident admitted counsel to sign  
4 stipulations binding on all of us.  
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6 **APPOINTMENT OF DESIGNATED RESIDENT NEVADA COUNSEL**  
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8 The undersigned party(ies) appoints Ross C. Goodman, Esq. as  
9 his/her/their Designated Resident Nevada Counsel in this case.  
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11  8-17-2010  
12 (Party signature) Gerald Hester  
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14 \_\_\_\_\_  
15 (Party signature)  
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18 (Party signature)

19 **CONSENT OF DESIGNEE**  
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21 The undersigned hereby consents to serve as associate resident Nevada counsel in this case.  
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23  7722  
24 Designated Resident Nevada Counsel's Signature Bar number  
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26 APPROVED:  
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28 Dated: this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.  
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30 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE  
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